

**NOTICE OF REFERENDUM ELECTION  
CALLED BY WELLINGTON, FLORIDA'S COUNCIL  
TO BE HELD  
AUGUST 30, 2016**

The Village of Wellington's Council will hold a Referendum Election on Tuesday, August 30, 2016. The purpose of the Referendum Election is to consider the adoption of the proposed Charter revisions set forth in Ordinance No. 2016-15, which if adopted, will revise the Village Charter.

The polls are open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on Election Day. Your polling location is listed on your Voter ID Card. You must notify the Palm Beach County Supervisor of Elections Office if you move from the address listed on your Voter ID Card. If you are unsure of the polling location for your precinct, contact the Supervisor of Elections Office at (561) 656-6200.

Copies of the ordinance pertaining to the proposed Charter revisions are available at the Wellington Clerk's Office, 12300 Forest Hill Blvd, Wellington, FL 33414 during the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. and on line at [www.wellingtonfl.gov](http://www.wellingtonfl.gov).

Below is the ballot summary and ballot question that will appear on the ballot:

**REFERENDUM QUESTION NO. 1**

**Filling of Vacancies for Councilmembers and Timing of Election**

**BALLOT SUMMARY:** The current Charter requires council vacancies be filled by appointment. The proposed amendment would eliminate appointments, would fill council vacancies in the same manner as mayoral vacancies by requiring a special election if 180 days or more remain in the unexpired term, and would specify the timing requirements for special elections to fill mayoral and councilmember vacancies.

**BALLOT QUESTION:** **Shall councilmember vacancies exceeding 180 days be filled by special election rather than by appointment?**

**Yes**

**No**

Rachel R. Callovi, CMC  
Village Clerk

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